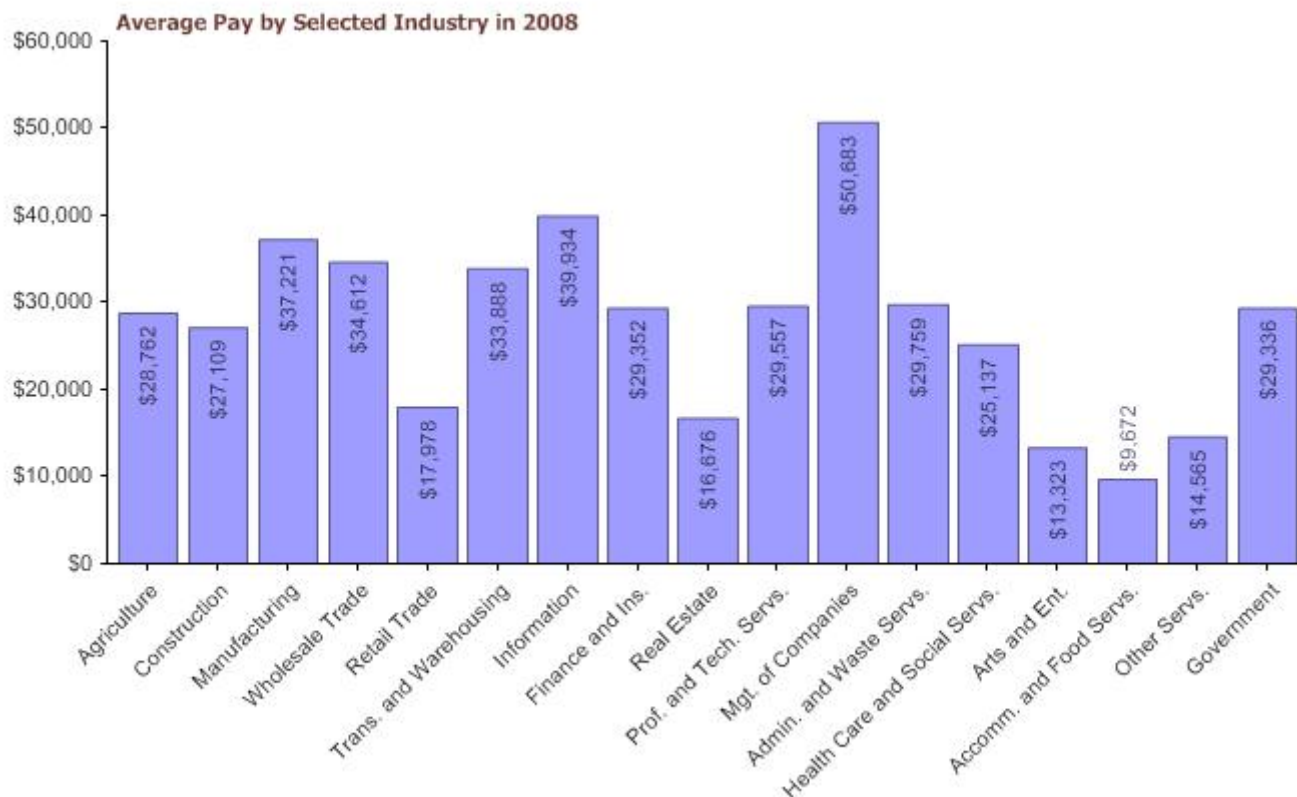


# Blackford County, IN Highlights

## Earnings and Income

Industry employment is tabulated as jobs by place-of-work. Keep in mind that people may hold multiple jobs and that each job is counted by its industry. Note: The income figures and changes are not adjusted for inflation.

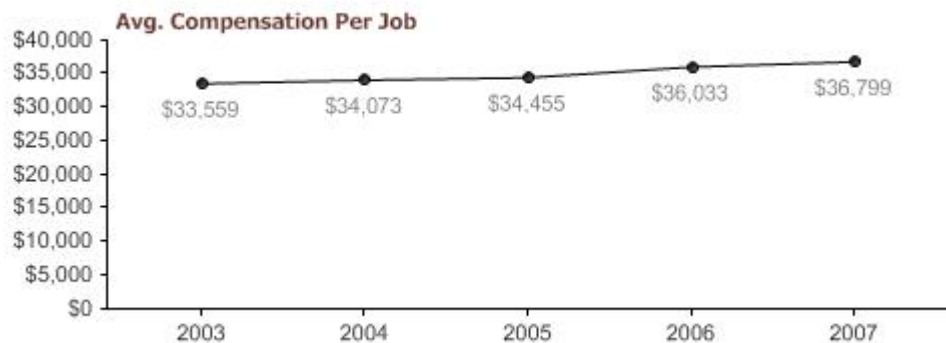
Average Annual Earnings by Industry						
	2004	2008	Change 2004-2008	% Change 2004-2008	Indiana 2008	% of State
All Industries	\$27,532	\$29,002	\$1,470	5.3%	\$38,398	75.5%
Ag., For., Fishing, & Hunt.	\$29,627	\$28,762	-\$865	-2.9%	\$30,299	94.9%
Mining	D	D	N/A	N/A	\$58,239	N/A
Construction	\$20,857	\$27,109	\$6,252	30.0%	\$47,199	57.4%
Manufacturing	\$35,604	\$37,221	\$1,617	4.5%	\$52,381	71.1%
Wholesale Trade	\$22,073	\$34,612	\$12,538	56.8%	\$52,492	65.9%
Retail Trade	\$16,250	\$17,978	\$1,728	10.6%	\$22,731	79.1%
Trans. & Warehousing	\$30,004	\$33,888	\$3,884	12.9%	\$38,384	88.3%
Utilities	D	D	N/A	N/A	\$72,596	N/A
Information	\$21,318	\$39,934	\$18,616	87.3%	\$47,598	83.9%
Finance & Insurance	\$25,580	\$29,352	\$3,772	14.7%	\$52,898	55.5%
Real Est., Rent., Leasing	\$13,773	\$16,676	\$2,904	21.1%	\$33,092	50.4%
Prof. & Tech. Svcs.	\$20,465	\$29,557	\$9,091	44.4%	\$53,800	54.9%
Mgt.of Companies	\$45,218	\$50,683	\$5,465	12.1%	\$72,385	70.0%
Admin. & Waste Svcs.	\$30,801	\$29,759	-\$1,042	-3.4%	\$26,036	114.3%
Education Svcs.	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$31,946	N/A
Health Care & Social Assist.	\$25,242	\$25,137	-\$105	-0.4%	\$38,743	64.9%
Arts, Ent. &, Rec.	D	\$13,323	N/A	N/A	\$29,410	45.3%
Accom. & Food Svcs.	\$9,177	\$9,672	\$494	5.4%	\$12,685	76.2%
Other Svcs.	\$13,212	\$14,565	\$1,352	10.2%	\$25,646	56.8%
Fed.l, State & Local Govt.	\$27,265	\$29,336	\$2,071	7.6%	\$38,124	76.9%



Note: D = non-discloseable in compliance with the Bureau of Labor Statistics and/or State of Indiana confidentiality guidelines. Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, as of June 30, 2009

### Average Compensation Per Job Over Time

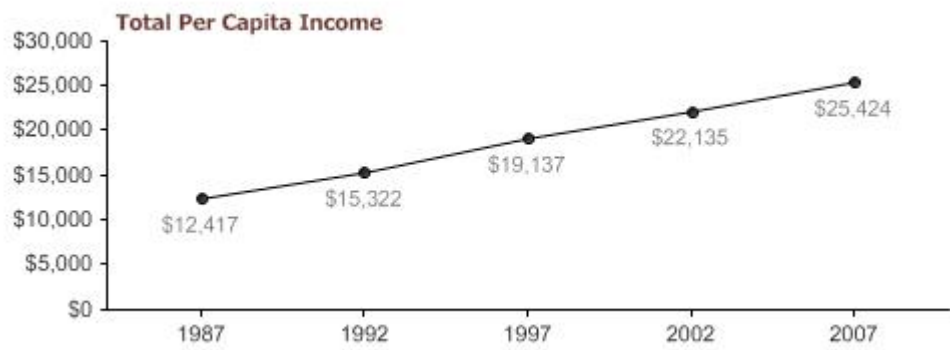
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Avg. Compensation per Job</b>	\$33,559	\$34,073	\$34,455	\$36,033	\$36,799
<b>Change Since 2002</b>		\$514	\$896	\$2,474	\$3,240
<b>Pct. Change Since 2002</b>		1.5%	2.7%	7.4%	9.7%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

### Per Capita Income Over Time

	1987	1992	1997	2002	2007
<b>Total Per Capita Income</b>	\$12,417	\$15,322	\$19,137	\$22,135	\$25,424
<b>Change Since 1987</b>		\$2,905	\$6,720	\$9,718	\$13,007
<b>Pct. Change Since 1987</b>		23.4%	54.1%	78.3%	104.8%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Income & Wage	
	Number
Median family income in 2007 (ACS)	N/A
Median household income in 2007 (ACS)	N/A
Average Wage Per Job in 2007 (BLS)	\$29,224
Wage Growth since 1997 (BLS)	29.6%

Source: US Census Bureau & Bureau of Labor Statistics